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Applicants submit this Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, and hereby make of record the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449. A copy of the listed documents, along with electronic translations that were generated by the Japanese Patent Office is attached hereto.

This submission is not an admission that the information disclosed in the attached reference is material to the patentability of the invention disclosed and/or claimed in the above-identified application. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that the application is in all respects in condition for examination on the merits.

Applicants do not waive any right to take any action that would be appropriate to antedate or otherwise remove any listed document as a competent reference against the claims of this application.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the enclosed reference in determining the patentability of the claimed invention. Applicants also request

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that the Examiner return a copy of the enclosed Information Disclosure Citation with initials or other marks indicating that the reference has been so considered.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees in connection herewith to deposit Account No. 50-1529.

Respectfully submitted,

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